

Remarks

Claims 1-10 are pending in the application. Claims 1-10 stand rejected under the doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-12 of U.S. Patent No. 6,674,882. A Terminal Disclaimer is submitted herewith to overcome this rejection, together with the required Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b).

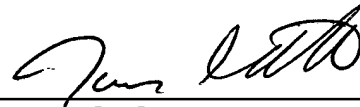
Conclusion

Applicant believes that a full and complete response has been made to the Office Action.

Applicants request that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the pending rejections and indicate the allowance of all pending claims. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned representative at the number provided.

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